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May 20, 2008

VIA HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable Joseph J. Farnan
United States District Court
for the District of Delaware
J. Caleb Boggs Federal Building
844 King Street
Wilmington, DE 19801

Re: DB Structured Products, Inc. v. American Home Mortgage Holdings, Inc., et al.,
Case No. 07-CV-00773 (JJF) (D. Del. 2007).

Dear Judge Farnan:

Enclosed you will find a stipulated order extending the briefing schedule with respect to the above-referenced appeal (the "Appeal"). The parties respectfully request that Your Honor approve such extension and enter the order at the Court's earliest convenience.

The undersigned counsel for the appellees has been substantially involved in this matter since the dispute first arose in September 2007, and has participated in the discovery, the briefing, the trial, and the mediation of the Appeal on behalf of the appellees. In light of such involvement, the undersigned is one of the principal attorneys tasked with briefing the Appeal on behalf of the appellees.

In accordance with this Court's order of April 23, 2008 (the "Scheduling Order"), the appellants filed their opening brief on May 7, 2008, while the undersigned was in the midst of a long-scheduled, two-week vacation. The docket entry for the opening brief reflects May 27, 2008, as the deadline for filing the answering brief. The undersigned returned to work on May 13, under the impression that May 27 was the proper deadline. Earlier this week it came to the

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undersigned's attention that the proper deadline for filing the answering brief under the Scheduling Order is in fact May 22, 2008. The undersigned contacted counsel for the appellant, who graciously agreed to a stipulated extension of the deadline for filing and serving the answering brief to May 27, subject to approval by Your Honor. In consideration of the five days of additional time provided to the appellees, the stipulation provides an additional five days for the appellants to file their reply brief.

The issues raised in this Appeal are rather complicated, the proceedings in the Bankruptcy Court below having consumed five days of trial and several hundred pages of briefing, and involve the application of various principles of federal bankruptcy law to a contract subject to competing interpretations. The undersigned respectfully submits that approving the stipulated extension of the briefing schedule will permit both parties to present a more complete and focused presentation of the issues involved, which will ultimately facilitate Your Honor's disposition of the Appeal.

In light of the foregoing, the parties respectfully request that the Court approve the enclosed stipulated briefing schedule at the Court's earliest convenience. As always, counsel are available should Your Honor have any questions or comments concerning the stipulation.

Respectfully yours,



Patrick A. Jackson

Enclosure

cc: Clerk of the United States District Court (via hand delivery w/ enclosure)
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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In re:	:	Chapter 11
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AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE	:	Bankruptcy Case No. 07-11047-CSS
HOLDINGS, INC., a Delaware	:	
Corporation, <u>et al.</u> ,	:	Jointly Administered
	:	
Debtors.	:	
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DB STRUCTURED PRODUCTS, INC.,	:	
	:	
Appellant,	:	
	:	
v.	:	Civil Action No. 07-0773-JJF
	:	
AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE	:	
HOLDINGS, INC., a Delaware	:	
Corporation, <u>et al.</u> ,	:	
	:	
Appellees.	:	
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STIPULATED ORDER EXTENDING BRIEFING SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, on April 23, 2008, this Court entered an Order [D.I. 7] establishing a briefing schedule in the above-captioned appeal (the "Scheduling Order");

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Scheduling Order, on May 7, 2008, the Appellant filed its Opening Brief [D.I. 8];

WHEREAS, the Appellees have requested and the Appellant has agreed that the time for filing the Answering Brief shall be extended to May 27, 2008, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT);

WHEREAS, in consideration of the foregoing, the parties have agreed that the time for filing the Reply Brief shall also be extended to fifteen (15) days from receipt of the Answering Brief;

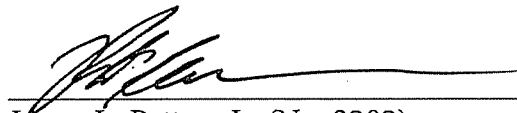
NOW, THEREFORE, based upon the foregoing, it is hereby stipulated by the undersigned counsel that:

1. The time period for filing and serving the Appellees' Answering Brief shall be extended to May 27, 2008, at 10:00 a.m. (EDT); and
2. The Appellant's Reply Brief shall be filed and served within fifteen (15) days from receipt of the Answering Brief.

STIPULATED AND AGREED:

Dated: May 20, 2008
Wilmington, Delaware

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SO ORDERED this _____ day of _____, 2008.

Hon. Joseph J. Farnan
United States District Judge